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ABSTRACT

The register of children (under 20 years of age) with impaired vision and hearing provides the number of children in deaf blind programs, other educational programs, at home, and in institutions for the mentally handicapped for the academic year 1968-9. Additional information on the 777 handicapped children registered by the American Foundation for the Blind includes tables indicating educational placement by state for 1968-9, and distribution of the children by year of birth for the academic years of 1965 through 1969. (PD)

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REGISTER OF CHILDREN WITH IMPAIRED VISION AND HEARING

(Under 20 years of age)

Total Number of Children

July 1, 1968	Total number of children on register- - - - -	687
July 1, 1968 to June 30, 1969	Number of children added to register- - - - -	-87
		777
June 30, 1969	Number of children removed from register- - - - (Over 20 years of age)	4
July 1, 1969	Total number of children on register- - - - -	773

Academic Year 1968 - 69 Educational Placement

In Deaf-Blind Programs- (Plus 2, 20 years of age or over)	100
In Other Educational Programs- -	-175
At Home- -	-452
In Institutions for Mentally Retarded- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	50
	777

Total number of children and educational placement by state - See Table I

Distribution by year of birth - See Table II

Distribution by sex — Males - 385, Females - 392

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*TOTAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN AND EDUCATIONAL PLACEMENT BY STATE
ACADEMIC YEAR 1968-69 **Table I**

State	D/B Prog.	Other Ed. Prog.	At Home	Ins. For MR	Total	State	D/B Prog.	Other Ed. Prog.	At Home	Ins. For MR	Total
Ala.	2	1	9	-	12	Mont.	-	-	1	-	1
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	Neb.	-	-	3	-	3
Ariz.	-	4	4	-	8	Nev.	-	-	-	-	-
Ark.	1	1	1	1	4	N. H.	-	1	4	-	5
Cal.	15	21	28	3	67	N. J.	4	7	11	2	24
Colo.	3	1	6	-	10	N.Mex.	1	-	1	1	3
Ct.	2	9	4	1	16	N. Y.	11	17	88	13	129
Del.	-	-	1	-	1	N. C.	2	4	5	-	11
D. C.	1	10	9	2	22	N.Dak.	-	-	8	1	9
Fla.	1	7	18	3	29	Ohio	-	1	19	-	20
Ga.	1	6	16	-	23	Okla.	1	8	6	-	15
Hawaii	-	-	1	-	1	Ore.	2	-	1	-	3
Idaho	-	1	5	-	6	Pa.	4	15	19	1	39
Ill.	2	3	21	9	35	R. I.	-	-	-	-	-
Ind.	2	2	4	2	10	S. C.	-	-	2	-	2
Iowa	2	1	10	2	15	S.Dak.	-	1	3	-	4
Kans.	1	3	8	-	12	Tenn.	4	1	1	1	7
Ky.	1	-	11	2	14	Texas	11	9	48	2	70
La.	4	13	15	-	32	Utah	1	-	4	-	5
Me.	1	-	3	-	4	Vt.	-	-	-	-	-
Md.	1	4	2	-	7	Va.	1	2	6	1	10
Mass.	2	3	20	1	26	Wash.	2+1*	1	4	-	7
Mich.	8+1*	5	5	1	19	W. Va.	-	-	2	-	2
Minn.	1	1	7	1	10	Wisc.	-	3	-	-	3
Miss.	2	-	2	-	4	Wyo.	-	3	-	-	3
Mo.	3	6	6	-	15						

*Over 20 years of age

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Register of Children with Impaired Vision and Hearing
Distribution by year of Birth Table II

Year of Birth	No. of Children 1965-66	No. of Children 1966-67	No. of Children 1967-68	No. of Children 1968-69
1969	--	--	--	--
1968	--	--	1	1
1967	--	0	0	8
1966	0	3	11	19
1965	5	26	59	86
1964	12	59	126	155
1963	6	11	15	19
1962	5	8	13	14
1961	11	14	20	20
1960	19	22	26	27
1959	38	46	54	57
1958	32	36	43	44
1957	23	24	26	29
1956	18	20	24	25
1955	25	26	30	35
1954	22	22	26	26
1953	41	44	47	48
1952	52	53	56	59
1951	33	35	39	39
1950	21	21	24	26
1949	27	28	29	36
1948	22	22	13	
1947	19	7		
1946	19			
Unknown	7	6	7	0
Total	457+20 over 20	533+31 over 20	689+19 over 20	773+4 over 20